SPOOKS, Jim Hougan, William Morrow, 1978; Bantam 1979

While I am not sure of it, I think Hougan has written about the JFK assassination.

The does seem to be an important and worthwhile book, yet in reading it I grew uncertain of the dependability of some of his information and some of his details because there are that many visible errors. Some of these errors led me to believe that he was writing about what he had received verbally, as in his giving McClaney for the well-known mob/Cuban gambling figure McLaney.

If some is mere carelessness, that undermines the full credibility of what else may be rendered carelessly.

He has Loran Hall from Miami. He was from Kansas, living in California.

He repeatedly misspells Paul Rothermeil's name this way. It is Rothermel.

He says William Donovan was also of the CIA. He wasn't.

He refers to Leon Jaworski as of the Warren Commission. He wasn't, of course.